DOCKET NO: 248054US8

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :

KENJI NISHIMURA, ET AL. : EXAMINER: HUYNH, N.T.

SERIAL NO: 10/762,534 :

FILED: JANUARY 23, 2004 : GROUP ART UNIT: 2617

FOR: COMMUNICATION SYSTEM, MULTICAST SWITCHING DEVICE, AND

COMMUNICATION METHOD

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the outstanding Office Action dated April 21, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.